each be debatable for not to exceed 45 minutes, and consideration of these amendments proceed without intervening motion except one motion to rise if offered by Representative Callahan.

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Legislative Program: The Majority Leader announced the legislative program for the Week of June 10. Agreed that when the House adjourns today it adjourn to meet at 10:00 a.m. on Friday, June 7.

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Meeting Hour: Agreed that when the House adjourns on Friday, June 7, it adjourn to meet at 12:30 p.m. on Monday, June 10.

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Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of June 12. Page H5978

Water Rights Task Force: The Chair announced the Speaker's appointment to the Water Rights Task Force of the following individuals from private life on the part of the House: Mr. Robert S. Lynch of Arizona and Mr. Bennett W. Raley of Colorado.

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Referrals: Two Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate House committees. Page H6004

Amendments: Amendments ordered printed pursuant to the rule appear on page H6005.

Senate Messages: Messages received from the Senate today appear on page H5937.

Quorum Calls—Votes: Three yea-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages H5953–54, H5975–76, and H5976. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at 10:00 a.m. and adjourned at 7:11 p.m.

Committee Meetings

STATE MEAT AND POULTRY INSPECTION

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry held a hearing to review the statutory prohibition on interstate shipment of state inspected meat and poultry products. Testimony was heard from Craig Reed, Associate Administrator, Inspection Operations, Food Safety and Inspection Service, USDA; Rick Perry, Commissioner, Department of Agriculture, State of Ohio; Alan Tracy, Secretary, Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection, State of Wisconsin; and public witnesses.

AGRICULTURE, FDA, AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Ordered reported the Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Ad-

ministration, and Related Agencies appropriations for fiscal year 1997.

TRANSPORTATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Transportation approved for full Committee action the Transportation appropriations for fiscal year 1997.

FINANCIAL SERVICES COMPETITIVENESS REGULATORY RELIEF ACT

Committee on Banking and Financial Services: Began markup of the Financial Services Competitiveness and Regulatory Relief Act.

Will continue June 11.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Health and Environment approved for full Committee action the following: Safe Drinking Water Act Amendments of 1996; and H.R. 248, amended, to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide for the conduct of expanded studies and the establishment of innovative programs with respect to traumatic brain injury.

RETIREMENT CRISIS AHEAD?

Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities: Subcommittee on Employer-Employee Relations held a hearing on Retirement Crisis Ahead?: Exploring Ways to Simplify and Expand Pensions. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

OPEN CAMPUS POLICE LOGS ACT

Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities: Subcommittee on Postsecondary Education, Training and Life-Long Learning held a hearing on H.R. 2416, Open Campus Police Logs Act of 1995. Testimony was heard from David Longanecker, Assistant Secretary, Office of Postsecondary Education, Department of Education; and public witnesses.

CENSUS 2000: THE CHALLENGE OF THE COUNT

Committee on Government Reform and Oversight: Held a hearing on Census 2000: The Challenge of the Court. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Commerce: Everett M. Ehrlich, Under Secretary, Economic Affairs; and Martha F. Riche, Director, Bureau of the Census.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Government Reform and Oversight: Subcommittee on Human Resources and Intergovernmental Relations held an oversight hearing on the Department of Education's Management of Access to Federal Student Aid Programs. Testimony was heard from Cornelia M. Blanchette, Associate Director, Education and Employment Issues, GAO; the following officials of the Department of Education: David A. Longanecker, Assistant Secretary, Post-secondary Education; and Thomas R. Bloom, Inspector General; and public witnesses.

SUBPOENA—AID OFFICIAL

Committee on International Relations: Approved, by voice vote, a motion authorizing the issuance of a subpoena to compel the testimony of Larry E. Byrne, Assistant Administrator, Management, AID, U.S. International Development Cooperation Agency.

NEW PERSPECTIVES ON AFRICA

Committee on International Relations: Subcommittee on Africa held a hearing on New Perspectives on Africa. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

WESTERN HEMISPHERE—WAR ON DRUGS

Committee on International Relations: Subcommittee on the Western Hemisphere held a hearing on the War on Drugs in the Western Hemisphere: Fact or Fiction? Testimony was heard from Representatives Diaz-Balart and Shaw; Gen. Barry McCaffrey, USA, Director, Office of National Drug Control Policy; Robert S. Gelbard, Assistant Secretary, International Narcotics and Law Enforcement Affairs, Department of State; and Thomas A. Constantine, Administrator, DEA, Department of Justice.

PAROLE COMMISSION PHASEOUT ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Crime held a hearing on S. 1507, Parole Commission Phaseout Act of 1995. Testimony was heard from Richard J. Arcara, Judge, U.S. District Court, Western District of New York; and the following officials of the Department of Justice: Edward F. Reilly, Jr., Chairman, U.S. Parole Commission; and Robert S. Litt, Deputy Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division.

U.S. NATIONAL SECURITY INTERESTS—POST-COLD WAR WORLD

Committee on National Security: Held a hearing on U.S. national security interests in the Post-Cold War world. Testimony was heard from Paul D. Wolfowitz, former Under Secretary, Policy, Department of Defense; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Resources: Subcommittee on Fisheries, Wildlife and Oceans held an oversight hearing on "Teaming With Wildlife". Testimony was heard from Dan Ashe, Assistant Director, External Affairs, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior; Robert L. McDowell, Director, Division of Fish, Game and Wildlife, State of New Jersey; and public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Resources: Subcommittee on National Parks, Forests, and Lands held a hearing on the following bills: H.R. 2122, to designate the Lake Tahoe Basin National Forest in the States of California and Nevada to be administered by the Secretary of Agriculture; H.R. 2438, to provide for the conveyance of lands to certain individuals in Gunnison County, Colorado; H.R. 2518, to authorize the Secretary of Agriculture to exchange certain lands in the Wenatchee National Forest, Washington, for certain lands owned by Public Utility District No. 1 of Chelan County, Washington; H.R. 2693, to require the Secretary of Agriculture to make a minor adjustment in the exterior boundary of Hells Canyon Wilderness in Oregon and Idaho to exclude an established Forest Service road inadvertently included in the wilderness; H.R. 2709, to provide for the conveyance of certain land to the Del Norte County Unified School District of Del Norte County, California; H.R. 3146, to provide for the exchanges of certain Federal lands in the State of California for certain non-federal lands; and H.R. 3547, to provide for the conveyance of a parcel of real property in the Apache National Forest in Arizona to the Alpine Elementary School District 7 to be used for the construction of school facilities and related playing fields. Testimony was heard from Representatives Vucanovich, McInnis, Hastings of Washington, Cooley of Oregon, Riggs, Radanovich and Hayworth; and Grey Reynolds, Deputy Chief, Forest Service, USDA.

SHIPBUILDING TRADE AGREEMENT ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted, by voice vote, a modified closed rule providing 1 hour of debate on H.R. 2754, Shipbuilding Trade Agreement Act. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the bill.

The rule makes in order the amendment in the nature of a substitute as recommended by the Committee on Ways and Means, as modified by the amendment printed in part 1 of the report of the Committee on Rules accompanying the resolution, as an original bill for amendment purposes which shall be considered as read. The rule waives all points of order against the amendment in the nature of a substitute, as modified.

The rule provides for an amendment printed in part 2 of the report of the Committee on Rules accompanying the resolution and waives all points of order against the amendment. The amendment may be offered only by a Member designated in the report, shall be considered as read, shall be debatable for 1 hour equally divided and controlled by the proponent and an opponent, shall not be subject to

amendment, and shall not be subject to a demand for a division of the question in the House or in the Committee of the Whole. Finally, the rule provides one motion to recommit, with or without instructions. Testimony was heard from Chairmen Archer and Spence; and Representatives Bateman, Gibbons, Dellums and Taylor of Mississippi.

PATENT SYSTEM AND MODERN TECHNOLOGY NEEDS

Committee on Science: Subcommittee on Technology held a hearing on Patent System and Modern Technology Needs: Meeting the Challenge of the 21st Century. Testimony was heard from Bruce A. Lehman, Assistant Secretary and Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Department of Commerce; and public witnesses.

SMALL BUSINESS INVESTMENT COMPANY PROGRAM REFORMS

Committee on Small Business: Held a hearing on the proposed reforms of the Small Business Investment Company Program. Testimony was heard from Patricia Forbes, Acting Associate Deputy Administrator, Economic Development, SBA; and public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure: Ordered reported the following measures: H.R. 3572, to designate the bridge on U.S. Route 231, which crosses the Ohio River between Maceo, KY, and Rockport, IN, as the "William H. Natcher Bridge"; H. Con. Res. 172, authorizing the 1996 Summer Olympic Torch Relay to be run through the Capitol Grounds; H.R. 3186, to designate the Federal building located at 1655 Woodson Road in Overland, MO, as the "Sammy L. Davis Federal Building;" H.R. 3364, amended, to designate a U.S. Courthouse in Scranton, PA, as the "William J. Nealon United States

Courthouse;" H.R. 3400, amended, to designate the United States courthouse to be constructed at a site on 18th Street between Dodge and Douglas Streets in Omaha, NE, as the "Roman L. Hruska United States Courthouse"; H.R. 3267, Child Pilot Safety Act; H.R. 3536, amended, Airline Pilot Hiring and Safety Act; and H.R. 3539, amended, Federal Aviation Authorization Act of 1996.

MEDICARE PROGRAM—FINANCIAL CONDITION

Committee on Ways and Means: Held a hearing on the Financial Condition of the Medicare Program. Testimony was heard from Robert E. Rubin, Secretary of the Treasury; and Donna E. Shalala, Secretary of Health and Human Services.

BOSNIA

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Met in executive session to hold a hearing on Bosnia. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR FRIDAY, JUNE 7, 1996

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

Committee on Appropriations, Subcommittee on VA, HUD, and Independent Agencies, to hold hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1997 for the Environmental Protection Agency, 9:30 a.m., SD–138.

House

Committee on Government Reform and Oversight, Subcommittee on the District of Columbia, oversight hearing on impacts of the Closure of Pennsylvania Avenue on the District of Columbia, 9:30 a.m., 2154 Rayburn.